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Incident Report # 86663

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

\*Report taken at 08:03 on 03-SEP-91

Incident Type: FIXED

Incident Cause: EQUIPMENT FAILURE

Affected Area:

The incident was discovered on 03-SEP-91 at 03:40 local time.

Affected Medium: UNKNOWN TOP OF THE FLOATING ROOF

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTYOrganization: MONSANTO CORP.  
SAUGET, IL 62206

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

INCIDENT LOCATION

500 MONSANTO AVE. County: ST. CLAIR

City: SAUGET State: IL Zip: 62206

RELEASED MATERIAL (S)

CHRIS Code: BNZ Official Material Name: BENZENE

Also Known As:

Qty Released: 100 POUND(S) Qty in Water: 0 NONE

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

BENZENE STORAGE TANK/FLOATING ROOF FAILURE

INCIDENT DETAILS

Package: N/A

Building ID:

Type of Fixed Object: UNKNOWN

Power Generating Facility: UNKNOWN

Generating Capacity:

Type of Fuel:

NPDES:

NPDES Compliance: UNKNOWN

DAMAGES

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: UNKN Hospitalized: Empl/Crew: Passenger:

FATALITIES: UNKN Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant:

EVACUATIONS: NO Who Evacuated: Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Closure Type	Description of Closure	Length of Closure	Direction of Closure
Air: N			

Road: N

Major  
Artery: N

Waterway: N

Track: N

Passengers Transferred: UNKNOWN

Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: Community Impact due to Material: NO

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REMEDIAL ACTIONS

APPLIED FOAM TO THE TOP OF THE TANK TO PREVENT VOLITILIZATION OF ANYMORE PRODUCT.

Release Secured: UNKNOWN

Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

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WEATHER

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ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal:

State/Local:

State/Local On Scene:

State Agency Number:

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NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

WILL NOTIFY THE STATE

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